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Sir:

I, Akira Matsuda, hereby declare and state that:

- (1) I am familiar with the contents of the United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/719,020, filed on November 24, 2003, claiming the priority of Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-341813 filed on November 26, 2002.
- (2) I am one of the inventors of the invention of United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/719,020.
- (3) I prepared a declaration under 37CFR§ 1.132 ("1st Declaration") on March 5, 2006, which

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